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Applicant:	Tomlinson, et al.	
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For:	Matrix Screening Method	

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

**Communication**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed March 24, 2010, Applicants filed a continuation application on September 23, 2010.

Applicants hereby petition for a 3-month extension of time. Authorization is hereby granted to charge the **\$1100.00** extension of time fee, and any other fees which may be required by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 19-2570.

Respectfully submitted,



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